# INVITATION TO CONTRACTORS

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
THE RESOURCES AGENCY
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

#### CONTRACTOR OUTREACH

FOR

#### EMERGENCY LEVEE EROSION REPAIR PROJECT

A Contractor Outreach will be conducted by the Department of Water Resources, 1416 Ninth Street, Auditorium, Sacramento, California 95814, at **9:00 A.M. on MONDAY, MAY 8, 2006** to describe the Emergency Levee Erosion Repair Project.

### **BACKGROUND**

On February 24, 2006, the Governor proclaimed a state of emergency for the State's levee system. The emergency proclamation discusses 24 critical erosion sites in the Sacramento and San Joaquin River Flood Control system that pose an imminent threat of levee failure if not repaired. A catastrophic levee failure would threaten tens of thousands of homes and major transportation corridors, and would result in significant environmental impacts. On March 6, 2006, the Governor issued Executive Order S-01-06 directing the Department of Water Resources to take all necessary steps to accomplish critical erosion repairs this year, and to evaluate other potentially critical erosion sites. An addition five levee erosion sites have been added to this project. The Department intends to expeditiously solicit and award several competitively bid construction contracts to carry out the repair of the 29 critical sites by the end of the year.

#### **FOCUS OF OUTREACH MEETING**

The following general information will be provided at this outreach:

General Project Description
Preliminary Typical Repair Sections
Preliminary Estimated Riprap Quantities
Preliminary Riprap Gradation

## **Current Projected Contract Schedules**

Please note: This contractor outreach is intended to provide contractors general information on the project and is not intended to be used for contractual purposes.

You are invited to attend this Contractor Outreach in anticipation of soon-to-be advertised construction contracts for this project. If you plan to enter into joint ventures with other contractors or entities in these upcoming construction contractors, you may invite these parties to attend this contractor outreach. All invitees are requested to notify the Department's Contract Coordinator, Jim Veres, of intention to participate in this information outreach by phone at (916) 653-4867 or facsimile at (916)-653-6166 or email at doe\_specs@water.ca.gov. This will be an informational meeting only. All questions generated from this meeting must be provided in writing to the Contract Coordinator.